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19 March 1963

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Meeting on Emergency Planning, 12 March 1963

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1. Present were: Mr. Karamessines, [redacted] 13  
[redacted] Mr. Sheldon and [redacted] 15

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2. In the absence of Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Karamessines began the meeting by asking for comments on the draft NSAM. After receiving comments it was agreed that this draft would be reworked by the Office of the Executive Director, in consultation with General Counsel, and resubmitted to the Emergency Group for approval or comments.

3. Mr. Kirkpatrick arrived and called for the following action:

a. Redraft of NSAM as mentioned in paragraph 1 above.

b. That each member present review the consolidated "Post-Mortem" report and be prepared to consider at the next meeting what:

(1) action has already been taken,

(2) action should be taken.

c. Mr. Kirkpatrick and [redacted] pointed out that it is essential that we were in what we actually do during an emergency crisis. In this regard we must await OEP plans so that we will have a firm policy to build on. Mr. Kirkpatrick may call Mr. McDermott, OEP, or [redacted] of DIA to see if this planning can be expedited.

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(signed) Lyman B. Kirkpatrick

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Executive Director

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